

ASSEMBLY BILL

No. 146

Introduced by Assembly Member Gorell

January 18, 2013

An act relating to economic development.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 146, as introduced, Gorell. Economic development: enterprise zones: City of Oxnard.

The Enterprise Zone Act authorizes the designation of certain depressed areas in this state as enterprise zones for purposes of providing specific economic incentives within those areas.

This bill would declare the intent of the Legislature to establish a new enterprise zone for the City of Oxnard, in partnership with the City of Port Hueneme and the Oxnard Harbor District.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: no.
State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

- 1 SECTION 1. (a) The Legislature finds and declares that the
- 2 partnerships established between the City of Oxnard, the City of
- 3 Port Hueneme, and the Oxnard Harbor District reflect the local
- 4 community's shared goal of alleviating their higher-than-average
- 5 unemployment and poverty, and the establishment of an enterprise
- 6 zone will create new opportunities for local workers and jump-start
- 7 economic growth by promoting new business and jobs. The
- 8 Legislature further finds and declares that with an enterprise zone
- 9 designation, the partnership between these entities will allow

- 1 greater resources and marketing potential to drive local economic
- 2 activity.
- 3 (b) Therefore, it is the intent of the Legislature to enact
- 4 legislation that would establish a new enterprise zone designation
- 5 for the City of Oxnard.

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